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Dear Josh:

I think you know that Mel Calvin, you, and I are on a committee to organize a symposium on the Comparative Biochemistry of Cells as an I.U.B.sponsored adjunct to a COSPAR meeting being held this coming June in Warsaw. This symposium was originally conceived as a rather comprehensive discussion but now seems to have been allotted about three days, as the various minutes I receive indicate. This is probably all to the good in terms of our failing stamina and in maintaining a high quality of discussion. In any case I had prepared a very extensive outline of possible subject matter some time ago and enclose a copy for your examination. Calvin has also received one. Perhaps it will be useful in indicating areas warranting special attention.

Anyway, I saw Calvin last month and it seems important that we try to get together soon to work out a program. I shall be on the West Coast on October 22 and can plan to visit Stanford with him on October 24 or 25. This might take 3 hours or a bit longer. Shall we plan on this? Do you have any other ideas?

Sincerely yours,

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